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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re application of: Chihara HIRONO  
Serial No.: 09/236,886  
Filed: January 26, 2001  
For: INFORMATION DISPLAYING SYSTEM, INFORMATION  
PROVIDING APPARATUS, AND INFORMATION PROVIDING METHOD  
Group No.: 2672  
Examiner: M. Good-Johnson  
Date: May 7, 2002

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

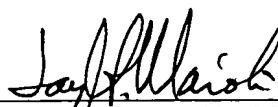
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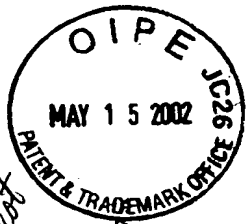
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- ☐ The fee has been calculated as shown below.
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- ☐ Independent claims in excess of \_\_\_ previously paid for, at \$84 (\$42) \_\_\_
- ☐ Additional Fee for this Amendment \_\_\_
- ☐ This Response is being filed within the \_\_\_ first month, \_\_\_ second month, \_\_\_ third month, \_\_\_ fourth month, \_\_\_ fifth month following the expiration of the term originally set therefor. Applicants Petition for an extension, and the fee of \_\_\_ \$110 (\$55), \_\_\_ \$400 (\$200), \_\_\_ \$920 (\$460), \_\_\_ \$1,440 (\$720), \_\_\_ \$1,960 (\$980) is due and paid herewith.
- ☐ The fee of \$ \_\_\_ set by 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(p) for the Information Disclosure Statement is due and paid herewith.
- ☐ A check in the amount of \$ 0.00 is attached.
- ☒ Please charge any additional fees or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 03-3125.

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AMENDMENT

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Sir:

In response to the Official Action of February 12, 2002,  
Applicant respectfully requests that the above-application be  
amended as follows.

IN THE CLAIMS

Please amend claims 1, 9, and 16 by rewriting same to read